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=> s methylation or CpG

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=> s unstructured (a) nucleic (a) acid

2 UNSTRUCTURED (A) NUCLEIC (A) ACID

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ANSWER 1 OF 2 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

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Use of modified nucleotides to reduce unwanted TITLE:

secondary structure in determination of differential

gene expression by hybridization

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The present invention provides an improved method of detecting differential expression of a gene of interest using modified nucleotides that reduce the levels of secondary structure in a nucleic acid mol. In certain embodiments of the invention, multiple genes of interest are provided on the surface of a solid support, such as in the form of a microarray. The presence of carefully chosen unstructured nucleic acid bases (UNAs, such as diaminopurine, 2-thiothymine, 2-thiocytidine, hypoxanthine, and pyrrolopyrimidine) in the samples being assayed and in the probes on the surface of the solid support provides an internal referenced measurement that is suitable for detecting the differential expression of a gene of interest in the samples. Also provided are arrays of pairs UNA probes that are capable of detecting differential expression of a particular gene of interest in two samples of nucleic acid.

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TITLE: Enzymatic synthesis of unstructured nucleic acids for

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In one aspect, the present invention provides an improved method of determining AB the sequence of a nucleic acid polymer using nanopore sequencing. Nanopore sequencing is based on the property of phys. sensing the individual nucleotides (or phys. changes in the environment of the nucleotides i.e. elec. current, phys. force) within an individual single-stranded piece of DNA as it traverses through a nanopore. The present invention generates nucleic acid polymers for nanopore sequencing having multiple tandem repeats of a sequence. A mol. having such tandem repeats reduces the influence of process initiation on the rate of nanopore sequencing. In another aspect, the present invention provides an improved method of sequencing that increases the rate of nanopore sequencing by reducing secondary structure in nucleic acid mols. to be sequenced. Nucleic acid mols. with reduced secondary structure ("unstructured nucleic acids"; UNA) are generated by enzymically incorporating modified nucleotide triphosphates that have a reduced ability to form base pairs with complementary modified and unmodified nucleotides. In a particularly preferred embodiment, unstructured nucleic acids are enzymically synthesized by incorporating triphosphate forms of 2-aminoadenosine, 2-thiothymidine, inosine, pyrrolopyrimidine and combinations therein.